29th June, 1919.

St. Andrew's Church, Madras

Presidency Senior Chaplain and Chaplain of St. Andrew's Church.—Rev. D. H. Gillan, M.A., B.D., Madras Club, Royapettah.
Kirk Session.—The Chaplain, J. R. Atkinson, Esq., I.S.O., Sir William Beardsell, Dr. J. R. Henderson, C.I.E., The Hon. Mr. W. Hutton, W. Lamb, Esq., A. C. Puddephatt, Esq., R. W. Ross, Esq., Capt. A. J. H. Russell, Col. R. Robertson, J. F. Simpson, Esq., W. A. Turner, Esq., and C. A. Innes, Esq., I.C.S.
Organist and Choirmaster—A. W. Jones, Esq., 1/144, Mount Road.
Free School Headmistress—Mrs. Pritchard, St. Andrew's Free School.
Dorcas Society Secretary—Mrs. J. R. Atkinson, Kedleston, Kilpauk.
Woman's Guild Secretary—Mrs. Turner, The Priory, Teynampet.
Woman's Guild Treasurer—Mrs. H. S. Chandler, Sunnyside, Royapettah.
Sunday School Superintendent—H. P. Ashworth, Esq., Cranford, McNicholl's Road, Chetput.
School Visitation Secretary—Mrs. Turner, The Priory, Teynampet.
Honorary Auditor—H. P. Ashworth, Esq., Cranford, McNicholl's Road, Chetput.
Church Officer—Mr. H. Boys, Kirk Villa, Egmore.

9-JUL

Church Notes

SITTINGS AND MAGAZINES—Application for vacant sittings should be made to the Clerk, with whom should also be lodged orders for the Monthly Parish Magazine (Rs. 2 per annum). To seat holders *Life and Work*, with local Supplement, is supplied free. Copies of the Hymnary, Psalter, and Anthem Book, with or without music, may also be purchased from the Church Clerk.

HOURS OF SERVICE—Divine Service is held on Sundays at 8 A.M. and 6 P.M.

CHOIR PRACTICE on Thursdays, at 6-15 P.M.

HOLY COMMUNION—The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper is dispensed after evening service on the first Sunday of every quarter, and after morning service on the sixth Sunday of the quarter.

BAPTISM—The Sacrament of Baptism is administered in the Church on Thursday evenings, or on Sundays after the morning service.

FUNERALS should be arranged through an Undertaker.

ST. ANDREW'S CEMETERY—St. Andrew's Cemetery is, by Government order, reserved for the burial of *bona fide* members of St. Andrew's Church and Presbyterian soldiers; and the sanction of the Chaplain has to be obtained.

FREE SCHOOL—There is an Industrial Class in connection with the Free School. Orders for towels, dusters, etc., may be sent to Mrs. Atkinson, Kedleston, Kilpauk, or to the Church Clerk. The money thus earned helps to defray the salary of an extra teacher.

SUNDAY SCHOOL, at 5 P.M. from January to April, and August to December.

Church Notices

Communion.—The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper falls to be dispensed at the close of Evening Service on 6th July, being the first Sunday of the quarter. Members of other churches who wish to connect themselves permanently with the congregation are invited to send in their names to the Chaplain.

Free School.—The School re-opens after the holidays on 1st July at 9 o'clock. Needless to say, any members of the congregation who are interested in the school will be very heartily welcome at the re-opening. The Managers have appointed Miss Gladys Holder to the vacancy caused by

the retirement of Mrs. Henricus. Miss Holder holds good qualifications and we hope that there is much success and happiness in store both for her and her pupils in the School.

Hot Weather Conditions.—It has been estimated by some that Madras has been unusually empty this hot weather and congregations have naturally diminished during the holiday months. Familiar faces have already begun to re-appear, however, and the church attendance on Sunday evening, 22nd June, was considerably increased as compared with previous Sundays. With the return of July it may be hoped that we shall soon reach normal again.

Departures and Arrivals.—Promotion, leave, and transfer inevitably bring changes, and this summer we are without the Hon'ble Mr. W. Hutton and Mr. Arthur Scott. On the other hand we have the pleasure of welcoming Mr. W. Lamb, an elder since 1908, who has returned to us after his war experiences, and Mr. Morrison, who has come to be Agent of the Chartered Bank.

The Very Rev. Dr. Ogilvie.—Reports of the General Assembly held in Edinburgh on 20th May and following days bring interesting news of Dr. Ogilvie. He has resigned his parish of New Greyfriars, Edinburgh, in order to devote himself wholly to the work of the Foreign Mission Committee, of which he has been convener for some time. And he has agreed to visit India as a Commissioner of the General Assembly in 1920-21. The Presbytery of Madras at its meeting last January resolved to ask that a visit from some Church leader should be paid before long in lieu of the visit expected in 1914, and suggested the special appropriateness of Dr. Ogilvie as a visitor. He will be heartily welcomed everywhere, and it will be of special interest if he can be present in February, 1921 at the Centenary celebrations of the first service held in our church.

The late Mrs. Vaughan.—It was with some surprise and deep regret that the many friends of Mrs. Vaughan heard of her death on 2nd June. She had fever for some days but her illness was not generally considered serious. As Mrs. Rowley she managed the Woman's Workshop of the Friend-in-Need Society for many years, and she will be much missed both by the workers there and by the many who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. All sympathy is extended to her husband and family.

The following extracts from recent Honours Lists are of congregational interest and our congratulations are offered to all concerned :—

KNIGHTHOOD.

Alfred Chatterton, Esq., C.I.E., Indian Educational Service (*retired*), Member of the Indian Industrial Commission.

ORDER OF THE INDIAN EMPIRE.

To be Companion.

For Meritorious Service in connection with the War :—

Charles Alexander Innes, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Controller of Munitions, Madras.

ORDER OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE.

To be Officers.

Samuel Jackson, Esq., Superintending Chemist, Buckingham and Carnatic Mills, Madras.

Andrew Williamson, Esq., Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway, Chief Recruiting Officer.

To be Member.

Captain Alan Guthrie, Deputy Controller of Hides, Madras.

KAISAR-I-HIND MEDAL.

FIRST CLASS

The Hon'ble the Reverend George Pittendrigh, Additional Member of the Council of His Excellency the Governor, and Professor of the Madras Christian College, Madras.

SECOND CLASS

Miss Gertrude Jane Campbell, of the United Free Church of Scotland Mission, Madras.

Soldiers' Entertainments.—The following is the statement of accounts to date :—

		RS.	A.	P.
Balance from 1918	...	279	14	9
Anonymous ...	...	1	14	0
" ...	...	5	14	6
Total	...	287	11	3

		RS.	A.	P.
Expense of Party on 30th January	...	105	1	8
" " 20th March	...	126	2	3
Balance in Bank	...	56	7	4
Total	...	287	11	3

CHURCH REGISTERS

Baptisms

"Suffer little children to come unto Me."

28th May, 1919.—Ian Henry, son of Andrew and Helen Clark Graham, Ootacamund.
1st June, 1919.—Herbert Cyril, son of George and Ruth Beck.

Marriages

"What God hath joined together, let not man put asunder"

2nd June, 1919.—Frederick Alexander D'Jordon to Alice Georgina Williams.
7th June, 1919.—Peter Carl Christian Nielson to Marie Hojsgaard.
23rd June, 1919.—Joseph Henry Rodgers to Edith Agnes Sweetlaw.

Burial

"I am the Resurrection and the Life."

2nd June, 1919.—Constance Louise Vaughan, 52½ years.

CHURCH ACCOUNTS

I.—Monthly Statement of Kirk Session Fund Account for May, 1919

Receipts	Rs.	A.	P.	Disbursements	Rs.	A.	P.
By Government Grant (Establishment and Cemetery) ...	109	0	0	To Church Estabt. for April, 1919.	176	0	0
„ Seat Rents	67	0	0	„ „ Choir „ „ ...	161	0	0
„ Church Collections	135	1	0	„ „ Blowers „ „ ...	2	0	0
„ Organ Practice	5	0	0	„ „ Servants' War Allowance, April, 1919 ...	20	0	0
„ Refund, Government Clock winding, 1918-1919 ...	60	0	0	„ Communion Elements ...	3	10	0
				„ M. E. S. Co.'s Current for April, 1919	14	12	0
				„ Clock winder, 12 months, at Rs. 5	60	0	0
				„ Methodist Printing House Printing Bill No. 1208 ...	19	0	0
				„ Electric bulbs	5	0	0
				„ Postage and Petty Cash ...	4	10	6
Balance Dr. this Account ...	89	15	6				
Total ...	466	0	6	Total ...	466	0	6

II.—Monthly Statement of St. Andrew's Free School Account for May, 1919

Receipts	Rs.	A.	P.	Disbursements	Rs.	A.	P.
By Subscriptions	7	0	0	To Teachers and Establishment ...	232	0	0
„ Refund	10	0	0	„ Food Account	25	6	0
„ Cash from Kirk Session ...	241	9	6	„ Laundry (April, 26 pieces) ...	1	3	6
Total ...	258	9	6	Total ...	258	9	6

H. BOYS,
Church Clerk.

D. H. GILLAN,
Senior Chaplain.

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